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**From:** Weigel, Greg  
**Sent:** Monday, August 17, 2015 10:35 AM  
**To:** Valdez, Heather; 'Marguerite Carpenter'; 'Rob Hartman'; susanh@ida.net; 'Kelly Wright (kwright@sbtribes.com)'; brian.english@deq.idaho.gov; 'David A. Weeks'; Douglas.Tanner@deq.idaho.gov  
**Cc:** Obbink, Libby; Palumbo, Janice; McArthur, Lisa  
**Subject:** Request to reschedule FMC RCRA Ponds site visit  
**Categories:** FOIA

Folks,

I am deployed to EPA's Gold King Mine emergency response in Durango, Colorado until September 4. I will not be able to participate in the FMC RCRA Ponds site visit scheduled next week, August 25. After speaking with Heather, we decided to try to reschedule the meeting to when I can participate in September. Looking at our calendars, it looks like Tuesday, September 29 is the earliest it would work for us.

Please response to Heather and I regarding your availability to participate in a re-scheduled FMC RCRA Ponds site visit on Tuesday, September 29. I expect that we would come to Pocatello Monday afternoon to be at the site Tuesday morning.

Thanks,

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**Cc:** Weigel, Greg; Obbink, Libby; Palumbo, Janice; McArthur, Lisa  
**Subject:** FINAL - Dates for EPA visit to Pocatello

Hi, I am able to confirm that Aug 25<sup>th</sup> looks like the best day to meet in Pocatello, so please make any necessary arrangements.

I would like to finalize the agenda now. I have seen from the records that in the past introductions to the project have consisted of a visit to the site to see the operation and a tour around the reservation.

Kelly and Susan, were you anticipating that a tour of the reservation would be helpful for us at this time?

Marjo and Rob, what sort of agenda did you have in mind?

Are there others who need to be invited?

Keep in mind the purpose of this trip is to help bring me and the new RCRA Corrective Actions and Permits manager up to speed. So we will not be in a position to communicate any agency decisions at this time.

We will be available all day on Tue. the 25<sup>th</sup>.

Thanks!

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**Cc:** Weigel, Greg; Obbink, Libby; Palumbo, Janice  
**Subject:** RE: Checking on dates for visit to Pocatello

Hi All, This is a reminder to please respond by tomorrow to confirm your availability to attend a meeting in Pocatello and visit to the FMC site.

A meeting on Thursday 8-27-15 is looking like a preferred date at this point.

Thanks!

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**Cc:** Weigel, Greg; Obbink, Libby; Palumbo, Janice  
**Subject:** Checking on dates for visit to Pocatello

Hi, I would like to check on the availability for meetings and a site visit the week of Aug 24<sup>th</sup>. Are there dates the week of Aug 24<sup>th</sup> that would not work for you, to have a meeting in Pocatello and a visit to the FMC site?

Please respond by the end of the week, so I can work to find the next soonest date if this will not work.

Thanks!

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